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From: Greg Lovato
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Good evening Brian,

I understand from Jeff Collins that on today's Agency coordination call that BLM indicated that BLM review of the OU-8 Record of Decision is expected to take an additional three to six months.

This timeframe is quite surprising and concerning to NDEP as it could seriously jeopardize the Deferral Path. It is important that NDEP and ARC have an approved Record of Decision prior to entering into an Interim Administrative Order on Consent that would require ARC to implement the OU-8 Remedy.

EPA has been able to complete headquarters reviews and legal reviews of the Record of Decision and responsiveness summary and we all knew all along that OU-8 remedy selection was targeted for this summer.

NDEP would like the opportunity to discuss with you as soon as possible.

Please let me know if you have time tomorrow or Monday to discuss.

Best,

Greg

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